

AT DANVILLE.

Mrs. C. E. Libbey and Emerson visited in Montpelier last week.

Mrs. John Palmer celebrated her 90th birthday Wednesday. A large number of her friends, called and she was the recipient of many gifts.

Mrs. Tracy Badger visited her sister, Mrs. Milo Woods, of Waterford, last week.

Miss Alice Hamilton of Woodstock, is visiting at Dr. C. E. Libbey's.

Mrs. Frank Harrington of Eden and Mrs. Charles Gadipe of St. Johnsbury visited their cousin, Mrs. S. N. Ingalls, last week.

George Crane of Cabot has bargained with Frank Stocker for his farm near this village.

Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Beckwith of Chelsea are at the Elm House.

Dr. David R. Brown returned Saturday from a month's stay in New York city, where he did post graduate work at the New York hospitals. He attended the American Medical association meeting at Boston on his return.

Miss Ada L. Sturdevant, who has been seriously ill, is gaining.

Margaret, the little daughter of Mrs. Mary Perkins, has been very ill with erysipelas the past ten days, but is now recovering. Miss Ella Page is supplying for Mrs. Perkins in the Hill school.

Marshall J. Morrill of Brooklyn, N. Y. is at his summer home for the season.

Miss Ethel Williams, who had been recovering from a recent illness, is again seriously sick.

Miss Ruth Wilson has returned from Burlington.

George Pickett and Walter Peck returned Saturday from Greensboro, where they caught some fine trout.

Guy Rowe has been chosen as one of the contestants in the prize speaking at Norwich University, during commencement exercises.

The mock court trial comes off Friday evening and it is expected to be a very enjoyable entertainment.

Remember the social at the Congregational church parlors this afternoon and evening.

Mrs. S. C. Currier is visiting her parents in Barre.

Mrs. S. N. Ingalls has gone to Boston and Providence, where she will visit relatives.

J. R. Parker of Morrisville has been visiting at W. H. Cass's.

Carlton Cass and Ray Nutting are visiting at Craftsbury.

There will be a pie supper at the Methodist church Wednesday evening, June 20.

Mrs. Silas Bovee visited her sisters at West Burke and at St. Johnsbury last week.

At the republican caucus Saturday night the delegates to the county convention were pledged for George F. Winch. The delegates to the district convention were Lyman Dole, J. Wesley Morse, H. Burbank, Fred B. Stocker. The delegates to the state convention were C. W. Thurber, Dr. C. E. Libbey, H. S. Dole, J. W. Gillis.

A letter from Congressman Haskins announces that the special bill for an increase of pension for E. H. Brown, from \$12 to \$24 per month has been signed by the President. Mr. Brown had an honorable record as first lieutenant of Co. A, 8th Vt. Volunteers, and everyone will rejoice with him in this well deserved recognition.

Edwin Crane who was severely bitten by his dog, is still unable to do any work.

EAST CABOT.

O. E. Bundy and daughter Mabel, of Sutton Station, were at H. L. Houghton's recently. They were on their way to Peacham to attend the funeral of an uncle, Oscar Daniels, who was brought there from Fairlee.

Herbert Scribner and family of Calais visited relatives in this vicinity over Sunday.

George Reed has finished painting at R. S. Barr's and gone to Cabot to paint for M. D. Warren.

Mrs. Ella Abbott and Will Dunn of Plainfield were visitors in town over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Bundy of Sutton were at I. C. Peck's recently. They were on their way home from Peacham where they had been to attend the funeral of Mrs. Bundy's father, Oscar Daniels, who was brought there from Fairlee. Mrs. Daniels accompanied them to their home.

George May of Marshfield was at R. S. Barr's recently.

Mrs. George Drew visited her daughter, Mrs. George Durett, at Barre the last of the week.

Alvin and John Dunn spent Sunday at J. L. Frye's in Harvey.

Mrs. Isaac Peck was called to Fairlee last week by the serious illness of her father, Oscar Daniels.

Mrs. George Morse who has been ill with typhoid fever is slowly gaining.

Ed Levey of Cabot has been doing some work at Mt. Pleasant Farm the past week.

Harry Young of Peacham was in town over Sunday.

Simone Hobart of Peacham was here recently.

PASSUMPSIC.

Rev. A. S. Gilbert went Tuesday morning to Randolph to attend the annual meeting of the Central Vermont Baptist association. He will give an address Wednesday afternoon for the Home Mission Society, returning home Thursday.

L. E. Gillilan of East Barre met with an accident Monday night while driving through this village, driving one horse and leading another. The one in the rear becoming unmanageable dragging him from the wagon while the other horse ran away demolishing the buggy. While Mr. Gillilan was seriously hurt there were no bones broken and he was resting comfortably at last account.

The Ladies V. I. S. will meet with Mrs. J. H. Wark, Thursday afternoon of this week. Supper will be served as usual. Every body in the community is invited to supper. Price 10c.

Mr. and Mrs. Gould were called to Littleton, Saturday to attend the funeral of Dr. Sanger.

Annual Church Meeting.

The annual church roll call and dinner was held in the church Saturday. Both forenoon and afternoon sessions were well attended. In the forenoon the local pastor gave a short and interesting talk on "The two Opposing Forces in

the World, the Church and the Saloon," after which he introduced the speaker of the morning, Rev. Albert H. Gage of St. Johnsbury, who gave a strong and helpful discourse on the desirability of all Christians having a church home. After this a social hour followed by dinner of which about one hundred partook. The afternoon session commenced at 1.15 with song and prayer, followed by the roll call; fifty responded in person and twenty by letter and proxy. Friends were present from Peacham, Danville, Waterford, and St. Johnsbury. The day was in every way pleasant and profitable. After this the annual business meeting was held, reports read from all departments of the church work, each showing a very encouraging outlook. The following officers were elected: Rev. A. S. Gilbert, moderator; J. H. Wark, clerk and treasurer; Church committee, F. J. Randall, Geo. Wright, J. D. Thynge, and Elmore Miles in place of Milo Lackie, resigned. By vote of the church taken by the regular meeting Saturday afternoon, this church will enter into the plan to be followed by all other churches of United States to take a special collection Sunday morning for the benefit of the religious work in San Francisco, and it is hoped that a goodly sum will be realized for this work.

The concert given in Randall's hall last Thursday night under the auspices of the Grange was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Mr. Feich and Mr. Moore of St. Johnsbury assisted the local orchestra also playing solos that were much enjoyed and it was a treat to welcome Mrs. Don Stiles again in our midst and her songs were enthusiastically received.

Mrs. Gertrude (Woods) Chesley of Brattleboro who has been in poor health for some years died Sunday morning. The body was brought home for interment. Funeral services will be held in the church this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Albert H. Gage of St. Johnsbury officiating in the absence of Rev. A. S. Gilbert. Mrs. Chesley leaves a father, Almond Woods, a brother, Owen E. Woods of this place and a sister, Mrs. Lona Blodgett of St. Johnsbury.

Next Sunday being Grange Memorial Sunday all Grangers are requested to meet at their hall at 10.30 and march to the church where special memorial services will be held.

WHEELLOCK.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnett of Kirby visited her sister, Mrs. George Goss, last week.

Miss Grace Collins went to St. Johnsbury last Saturday calling on friends for a few days.

Mr. Batchelder and son are visiting at D. B. Leslie's.

George Goss and wife went to East Haven last Sunday to visit their daughter.

A. F. Emerson received a visit from his brother of St. Johnsbury, last week.

A. J. Ranney received a visit from his cousin, P. Stone, of Glover, last week at the Caledonia Spring House.

At the republican caucus last Saturday night G. L. Gerry and E. Green were elected to the state and district convention at Montpelier and Arch Craig, Fred Day and C. G. Meserve were elected to the county convention at St. Johnsbury.

Dr. Drake and family of Massachusetts, visited at Sam Drake's last week.

Mrs. S. A. Drake was called to Cambridge last week by the death of Mrs. Mae Ellisworth.

The Ladies' Union will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Sanborn. Supper as usual.

Among those that went from this lodge to the district union I. O. G. T., at Lyndonville last week were Ezra and Charles Newell, Mrs. Alma Orcutt, Miss Campbell of Stowe and Harley Keough. Quite a number attended the evening reunion.

Mrs. Rannie and son, Harry, spent last Sunday at Sutton.

NORTH DANVILLE.

Mrs. C. H. Farnsworth and daughter Marion of Cambridge, Mass., spent several days at C. B. Stevens' recently.

Miss Stella Church spent Saturday and Sunday with her friend, Miss Kenerson of Peacham.

R. R. Hubbard and family have been spending several days with Mrs. Hubbard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Willey of Greensboro.

Mrs. Anderson of Kennebec, Ill., is here to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. O. H. Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Stevens were called to St. Johnsbury last week by the serious illness of their daughter, Mrs. G. A. Massey. Mrs. Massey's condition is somewhat improved, we are glad to learn, but her mother is still caring for her.

Miss Mattie Parker spent Sunday with friends at Lyndon Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gilman of Sheffield spent Sunday with relatives here.

Harold Davis of this place and Miss A. Grace Westall of Cornwall, N. Y., were married at Cornwall, Wednesday, June 6, and came to their home here the following day. Mr. Davis is one of the proprietors of "Lookout Farm" where they will reside. Their many friends extend congratulations.

Mark A. Hubbard of this place and Miss Rosalie Perry of Lyndonville were married at Lyndonville, Wednesday, May 6, by Rev. E. G. French.

Mrs. Wilbur Drew and children, who have been stopping at Ernest Drew's for several weeks, went to Rhode Island Tuesday, where she will join her husband.

STANNARD.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ayer of Albion, were recent visitors at M. F. Ayer's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stevens of St. Johnsbury were guests of Mrs. H. H. Hill, last Sunday.

Miss Louise Jamieson and Carroll Sawtell will finish school at Bakersfield, and return home this week.

General Debility

Day in and day out there is that feeling of weakness that makes a burden of itself. Food does not strengthen. Sleep does not refresh.

It is hard to do, hard to bear, what should be easy—vitality is on the ebb, and the whole system suffers.

For this condition take

Hood's Sarsaparilla

It vitalizes the blood and gives vigor and tone to all the organs and functions.

In usual liquid form or in chocolate tablets known as **Sarsatabs**. 100 doses \$1.

CABOT.

Children's Day was observed on Sunday at the Methodist church, and will be observed next Sunday at the Congregational church.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Heath were given a reception at Good Templars Hall on Saturday evening, by the members of the society.

May Ormsbee was called home from her school at Barre, last week by the illness and death of her father. Mr. Ormsbee was ill about a week, he was taken very suddenly while about his work at George Hoyt's. His funeral was on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Gould have arrived and are at their home, which was formerly the Coburn farm.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gould went to Cambridge, Mass., to attend the wedding of their son, Edwin C. Gould, to Miss Kate W. Morehouse, of Cambridge, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Lance visited their son, Carroll Lance, at Island Pond, last week.

Matthew Batchelder has sold his house to Phyllis Smith and moved his goods to the Shortt house, for the present.

Miss Maude Marsh is visiting her uncle's people at New Haven, Conn.

Charles Haines of Waterbury visited his parents, last week.

Mrs. Selden Smith is visiting at Cary and Phyllis Smith's. Her home is at San Francisco, Cal.

What's the good of keeping from him any good things you may see, That will lift his load of labor?

Like Rocky Mountain Tea, Flint Bros., & F. G. Landry.

WEST DANVILLE.

E. P. Brickett has sold his pond and water power on the north side of the river to Henry Beck of St. Johnsbury. It is a good power and a fine location to build and good chance for manufacturing.

Emory Clifford has his cottage completed and ready to rent. It is a good one.

Mrs. Mary Clifford is still with her brother, Henry J. Carrick, at Hollowell, Me.

E. P. Brickett is stopping with his daughter, Mrs. A. W. Merrill and is laying over the water pipes at his tenement house.

The poplar trees set out on Poplar Point are doing finely and certainly it is a very attractive place to build cottages. George Cook has his eyes on anything that will improve it and is bound to make it the place of all places around the lake.

Mrs. George Armstrong visited relatives at St. Johnsbury last week.

Goss and Conley have bought a new water wheel and will have it installed as soon as it comes. The air compressor works finely.

Mr. McFarlin will finish Joseph Fairbanks' cottage this week.

Miss Bernice Pressey and Maud Barshon from Walden, visited Miss Pressey's brother last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cole from East Hardwick, visited Mrs. Cole's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hunt, Sunday.

The cottages were well filled over Sunday all around the lake.

Mrs. Emily Brickett is much improved in health so she can ride out and visit her children.

EAST BARNET.

Children's Day exercises were held in the Chapel last Sunday, and were enjoyed by all those present. Much credit is due to those who drilled them.

Miss Crane of Melndoes commenced school here, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Roy attended the wedding of Howard Gowen and Miss Blanche Bagley at St. Johnsbury, Wednesday.

Mrs. Hastings of Lyndon is caring for Mrs. Creaser.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Joslyn and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Parker of Waterford, visited at B. M. Brown's, Sunday.

Ed Newell of St. Johnsbury visited at his home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kendall, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kendall and Vera, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Kendall and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Adams attended the wedding of Miss Grace Elliott of Barton, Tuesday evening.

LUNENBURG.

Death of Mrs. Cheney.

Mrs. Miranda, widow of Nathaniel C. Cheney, and a lifelong resident of this town, died at her home here Saturday, June 2, aged 79 years. She was born here Oct. 28, 1827, the daughter of Joseph and Lois Johnson Powers. She was educated at the public schools and on October 3, 1850 she was married to Mr. Cheney. He went to California for four years in search of gold, and then returned. When the war broke out he enlisted in Co. K, 8th Vermont Regiment, and was promoted from musician to first lieutenant. He died two days after the battle of Cedar Creek, from wounds received there. Mrs. Cheney's loyalty to her country led her to the happy suggestion of having a monument erected in memory of Lunenburg's brave soldiers. This movement was pushed and the beautiful monument in the park was dedicated Oct. 19, 1904. Mrs. Cheney was a charter member, and the oldest member of the W. R. C., and was very active in the work of the Congregational church. She was very energetic in all good work and was highly respected by the townspeople. She was one of a family of ten children, of whom three survive her: Daniel Powers of this town, Mrs. A. R. Gregg of Brattleboro, and Mrs. Albert Harris of St. Johnsbury. She also leaves three children, Dr. George F. of St. Johnsbury, Cora C., wife of Dr. G. F. Adams of West Derby, and Etta M., wife of Elden E. Pierce of Berlin, N. H. The funeral was held Monday, June 4, conducted by Rev. Mr. Jennings, assisted by Rev. Mr. Kelley. There was a large attendance, among whom were Miss Susie Hale and Miss Jennie Sibley of Coaticook, Frank W. Sibley and wife of Lyndonville, Mrs. A. R. Gregg and daughter, Mrs. Harris, and all of her children.

A petition in bankruptcy has been filed by Frank C. Warren. He has liabilities of \$3,345 and assets of \$2,943, of which \$1,065 is claimed exempt.

CONCORD.

The Ladies Benevolent society will serve dinner Wednesday, July 4. An entertainment will follow and ice cream and cake will be served in the evening.

AT THE 'VILLE.

On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday occur the closing examinations at Lyndon Institute, and on Sunday the exercises of commencement week begin. The sermon to the graduating class will be delivered Sunday by Rev. A. F. Welch of St. Johnsbury, with singing by the Congregational choir, in the Baptist church at the Center. Tuesday is devoted to meetings and exercises of the Alumni, and on Wednesday morning the graduation exercises take place. Wednesday afternoon the alumni banquet will be held in the Congregational vestry, and on Wednesday evening the "Boston Rivals" give a concert in Music Hall. There are 16 in the graduating class.

The graded school closes Friday with public exercises in Music Hall at 2 p. m. The program will consist of essays and recitations by the 9th grade pupils, with music by the other grades. Diplomas will be presented to a class of 18, who expect to enter Lyndon Institute in the fall. On Thursday afternoon parents and others are cordially invited to visit the schoolhouse and examine the work of the pupils in drawing, etc., and the exercises in the different rooms. This is to be known as "Parents' Day."

"Children's Day" was observed Sunday by the Methodist Sunday school with a concert and speaking in the evening.

A little daughter, Elizabeth Hunter Lyon, is a new arrival at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Lyon.

These delegates were chosen to the state convention at Saturday's caucus. T. N. Vail, A. D. Paige, W. I. Powers, C. L. Stewart, G. M. Campbell.

LYNDON.

Mrs. Hattie Hovey and little granddaughter, Doris Hovey, of East St. Johnsbury, visited Mrs. Mary Bowke several days last week.

Mrs. Nettie McClure and two children returned home to West Topsham last Wednesday, accompanied by Miss Belle Parker, who went to visit a couple of weeks.

Mrs. John Bowman of Littleton called on Mrs. S. W. Sweet, Thursday.

Mrs. Grace Kidder has gone to Ipswich to visit her cousin, Miss Nina Lanou.

Mrs. Fred McGoff and daughter Beatrice are spending a couple of weeks at Hardwick with Mrs. McGoff's father. Mr. McGoff spent Sunday with them.

The Methodist society held a food sale last Saturday which netted them \$5.55.

The Daughters of Liberty will hold a food sale next Saturday afternoon at E. C. Morse's store.

Mrs. Wheeler and two children of Sutton have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Hall.

Rev. Mr. Clark went, Tuesday to Woodstock to attend a meeting, after which he is to meet his wife at Burlington, returning home the last of next week.

It is understood that Rev. John Hoffman will occupy the pulpit next Sunday.

There will be no preaching service at the Methodist church next Sunday afternoon, many of the people wishing to hear the sermon before the graduating class at Lyndon Center. Sunday school and Junior League will be held as usual. There will also be a preaching service at 7.30 p. m.

The Epworth League held an interesting business meeting last week Tuesday evening. It was decided to improve the driveway and lay out flower beds on the lawn south of the church. The league also voted to organize an Epworth League choir and purchase 50 copies of a responsive service to be used in the Sunday evening meeting. After the business was concluded cake and lemonade were served.

On Saturday afternoon a company of men and women met at the church and began the improvement by laying out a large crescent-shaped bed and set in it pansies, nasturtiums and other plants.

The Daughters of Liberty have just instituted a membership contest with Mrs. Elwyn E. Bailey and Mrs. E. E. Morse as captains. Each side is to furnish a literary and musical program of 20 minutes length at alternate meetings and at the end of three months the losing side furnishes a supper to the winners.

A union meeting was held at the Methodist church last Sunday evening to listen to Miss Balch, the Sunday school home department worker, who is canvassing this town in the interests of the Sunday schools of all denominations. An informal meeting of teachers and workers from both churches was held at the close, but no definite plans were decided on until the canvas of this part of the town shall be finished. A good degree of interest is manifested in this work.

A number of the pupils of the high school, accompanied by two teachers and some others, 21 in all, started for Montreal, Thursday morning, on the 3 o'clock train. As it was about two and a half hours late the waiting was rather tedious. They arrived at Montreal at 10.45 and put up at the St. Lawrence Hotel. During their stay they visited St. James Cathedral, Notre Dame Cathedral, took a ride around the city on an observation electric, took a trip up Mount Royal, went through the Lachine Rapids, visited the French market, and few of them had strength left for a trip to Dominion Park. Starting for home Saturday they arrived there at 12.53 Sunday morning. They enjoyed the trip very much.

The marriage of Rev. F. Waldron Evans to Miss Fannie Cordelia French of Taunton, took place at the residence of the bride's father, George W. French, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Evans went from here last fall, but his children, with their grandmother, will remain here through the summer.

LOWER WATERFORD.

Children's day will be observed in the church Sunday.

Mrs. George Morrison is spending the week in St. Johnsbury the guest of her sons.

Miss Beulah Brown who has been spending some time in Haverhill, Mass., came home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Goss and family visited Mrs. M. B. Carpenter in Concord, recently.

Miss Jessie Muliken of East Barre is the guest of her brother Harry Muliken.

Suicide of Former Resident.

It was with deep regret and genuine sorrow that the people of this town received the shocking news last week of the death by suicide of W. A. Hutchinson at Laconia, N. H. The cause of the action was said to be despondency over business troubles. Several years ago Mr. Hutchinson was employed here as clerk in the dry goods stores, where he was one of the most popular clerks ever employed here, and he had many friends who regretted his removal from the town. From here he went to North Adams, Mass., and then to Waterville, Me., and later to Laconia, where he has been employed in the dry goods store of Lougee, Dismore & Parent. Last week Tuesday he went to the Mount Belknap hotel at the Lakeport end of the city where he took a room and was found through his head and near the bed an empty bottle, which had contained a weak solution of carbolic acid which he had drunk. It is understood that he was involved in financial difficulties with the firm he was employed by and he was but recently discharged from their employ. Upon announcing this news to his wife he told her she would never see him again and then went to Lakeport and committed the fatal deed. Mr. Hutchinson was about 42 years of age, and they had been in Laconia about four years. The funeral was held there Thursday afternoon, and the body was brought here for burial Friday, Rev. A. F. Welch officiating at the grave. Mrs. Hutchinson was accompanied here by her husband's brother Wallace from Claremont, and his mother, Mrs. Almira Hutchinson, and brother-in-law, Mr. Deano, of Woodstock; also by Miss J. Patterson from Laconia, and by her father, Mr. West, and her cousin, Miss Josie Seaver of Union Village. Mrs. Hutchinson has the sympathy of many friends in her sudden affliction.

An entertainment of unusual interest will be that given at Pythian Hall Monday evening June 25, by Miss Margaret Gorham, pianist, Miss Anna Gertrude Crosby, soprano, and Delbert Moyer Staley, reader. Miss Crosby will for one number sing and act the "Jewel Song" from "Faust," which she recently gave in the Hollis Theatre, winning admiration and praise from all critics. Mr. Staley, the president of the College of the Spoken Word, will probably read part of his arrangement of "Rip Van Winkle," and he and Miss Crosby will appear together in a humorous sketch.

Miss Annie Brown has gone to Hotel Preston, Beach Bluff, for the summer.

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